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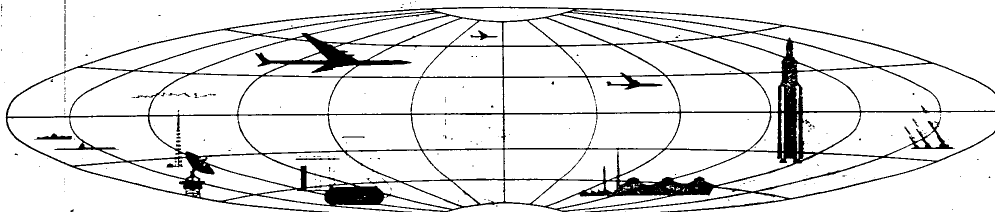
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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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VILNIUS ARMY BARRACKS EAST¹

(54-41N 025-25E)

VILNIUS, LITOVSKAYA SSR, USSR

BALTIC MD

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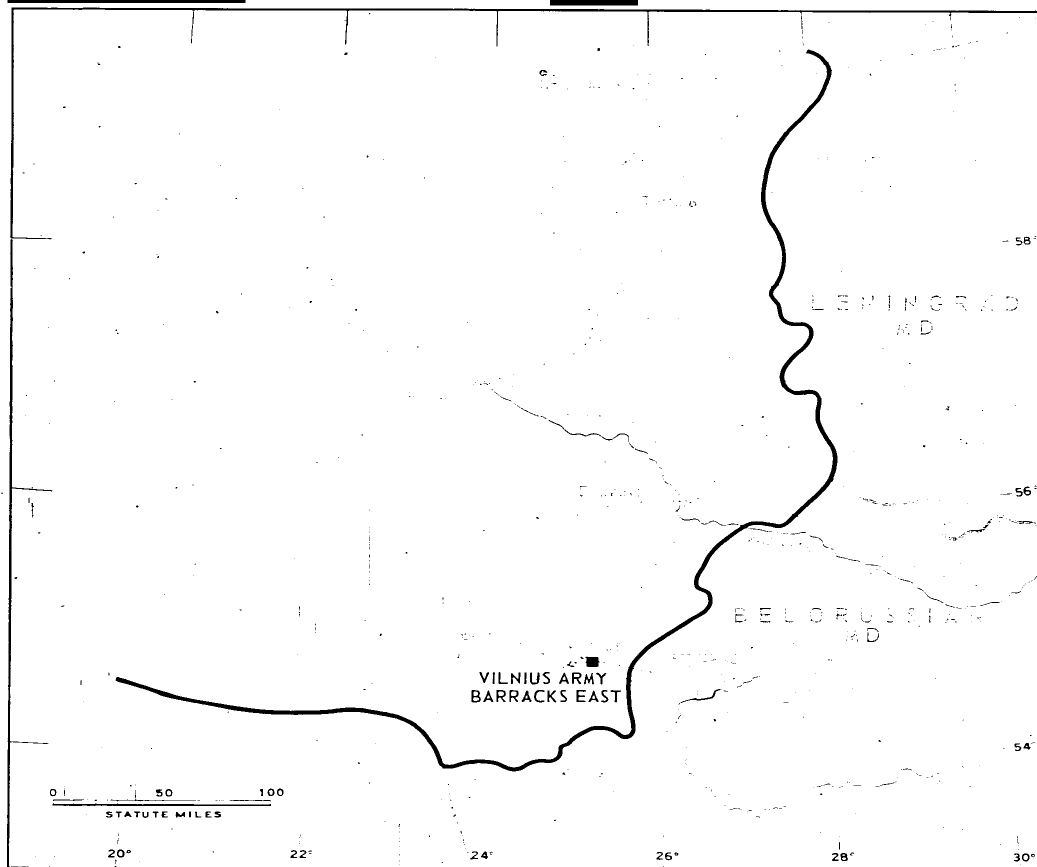


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF VILNIUS ARMY BARRACKS EAST.

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FIGURE 2. VILNIUS ARMY BARRACKS EAST, VILNIUS, USSR, [REDACTED]

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SUMMARY

Vilnius Army Barracks East is located 10 kilometers (km) east of the center of Vilnius (Figure 1).

This barracks and training area covers 150 acres and contains a large multistory, multiwing training building, 5 support buildings, 6 multistory barracks, 3 multistory probable barracks, 6 other barracks, 3 administration buildings, a storage building, 2 unidentified buildings, a vehicle storage/maintenance building, and 2 oval tracks (Figures

2 and 3). A large track and a small-arms firing range are outside the barracks installation.

This installation is covered on interpretable photography from [REDACTED] KEYHOLE missions between [REDACTED]. Comparative analysis reveals that 4 buildings have been added since [REDACTED]. The large multiwing training building appears to be partially roofed and no change is discernible since [REDACTED].

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

The Nova Vileyka Railroad Yards and Shops is located 1 km north of the barracks installation.

Road Service

The installation is served by city streets and has access to primary roads leading west to Vilnius and east to Postavy.

Administration and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains a large multistory, multiwing training building, 2 support buildings, and a storage building. Approximately half of the training building has never been roofed.

Area D2 contains 6 multistory barracks, 3 multistory probable barracks, 6 other barracks, 2 administration buildings, 3 support buildings and a multistory administration building with a parade ground and track.

Other Buildings

Area H contains 2 unidentified buildings.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Area

Area J contains a vehicle storage/maintenance building, 180 by 45 feet.

Athletic Fields

Area K1 contains an oval athletic track and a support building.

Area K2 contains a large oval track.

Area K3 contains a large oval track.

Small-Arms Firing Range

Area L contains a 1,100- by 90-foot firing range. The distance from the head of this range to the first firing wall is 720 feet, and the distance from the first firing wall to end of the range is 380 feet.

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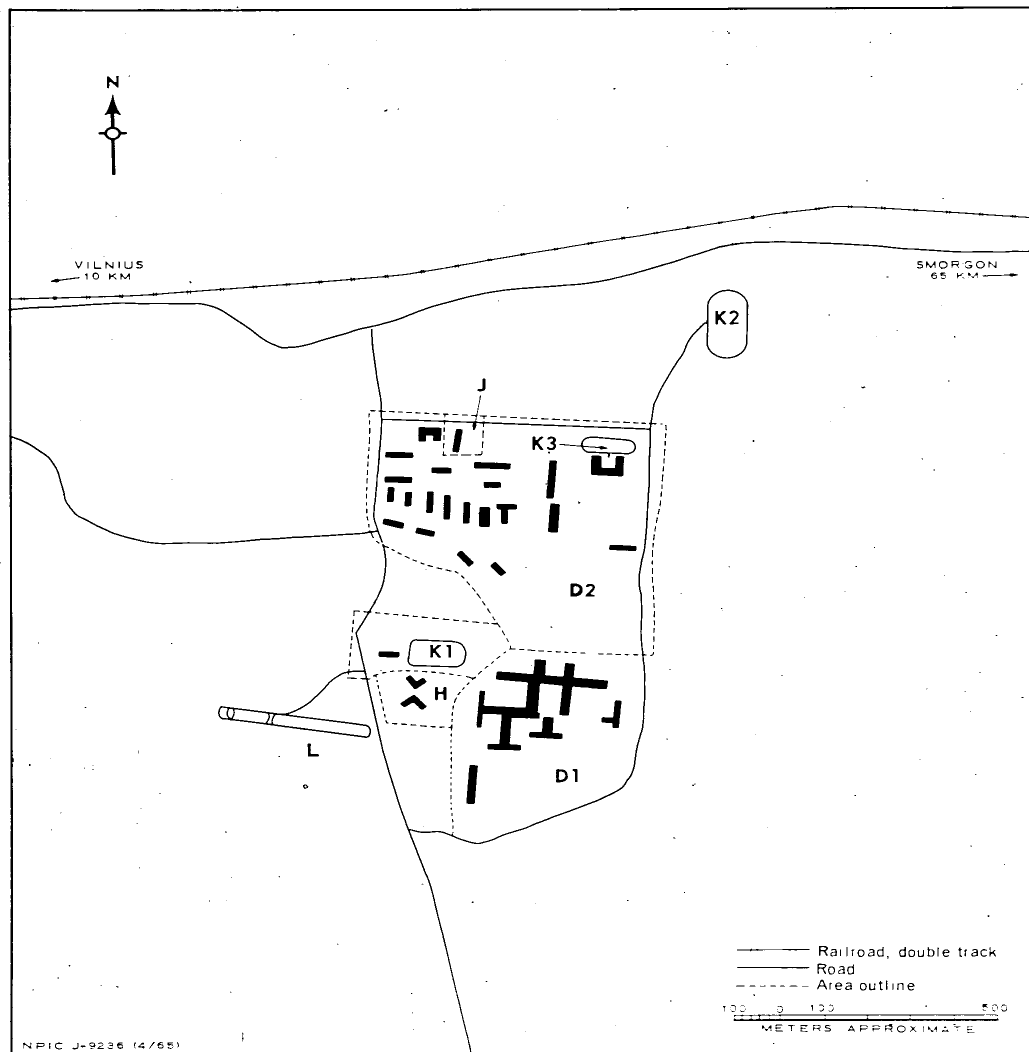


FIGURE 3. VILNIUS ARMY BARRACKS EAST. Sketch compiled from [REDACTED]

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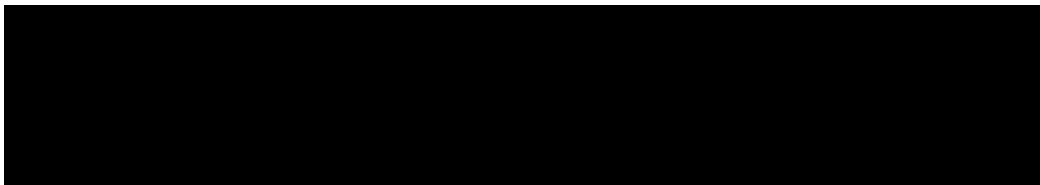
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